

INSTRUCTOR UPDATE
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Re: Texas Concealed Handgun Licenses for Out of State Residents

In compliance with Title 37, Texas Administrative Code §15.25, the Department of Public Safety is no longer issuing Texas identification cards to non-residents effective September 19, 2006. This affects out-of-state concealed handgun license holders, who will no longer be able to submit a Texas identification card number with their applications. For the near future, the Concealed Handgun Licensing Bureau will be issuing concealed handgun licenses to non-residents with a 'blank space' in the TX DL/ID # field. These licenses are valid and will be replaced once a permanent solution is implemented. Please note that this change only applies to non-residents. Valid concealed handgun licenses for Texas residents must still contain a valid Texas driver license or identification number in the TX DL/ID # field.

Thank you for your assistance.

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